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Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice

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Communications Portfolio

Department of Communications and the Arts

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Topic: Statutory Board and legislative office vacancies

Senator Chisholm, Anthony asked:

Senator CHISHOLM: Can you provide a list of statutory board and legislative office vacancies and other significant appointments within the arts area, the portfolio, including the length of time vacant and the current acting arrangements?

Ms Basser: Yes, we can take that on notice.

Senator CHISHOLM: What steps are being taken to bring those boards and other bodies to full strength to fill those vacancies?

Ms Basser: Yes. We will include that.

Mr Eccles: All our statutory agencies are operating with appropriate quorums but we will

provide all of the details.

Answer:

Please see the reply to question number 32.